

## PATENT

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
(MBHB Case No. 05-1027-US)**

In the Application of: )  
Bruce Towe, et al. ) Examiner: To be assigned  
Serial No.: 10/524,955 ) Confirmation No. 1066  
Filing Date: February 3, 2006 ) Group Art Unit: 3762  
Title: Neurostimulator )

## STATUS INQUIRY

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicants respectfully request an indication of the status of the above-referenced application. The 371(c) date for the Application was February 3, 2006, however to date the Applicants have not received an office action. Applicants would gratefully appreciate receiving a written communication indicating the status of this application.

If the Examiner has any questions, please contact the below signed Attorney at (312) 913-2106.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: /23 July 2007/

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